

結婚指輪物語

— TALE OF WEDDING RING —



**BLUE
SKY!**



**WHITE
CLOUDS!**



**CRIM-
SON
SUN!**



AND...

CHAPTER 19

MAYBE



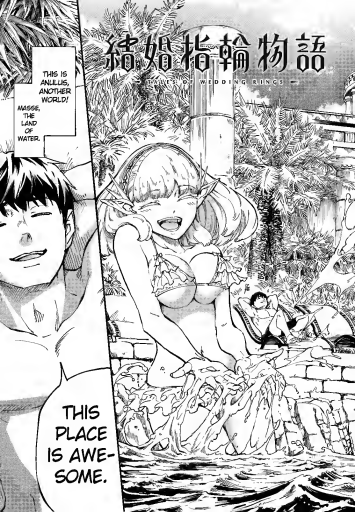
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TALES OF WEDDING RINGS

THIS IS
ANILLUS,
ANOTHER
WORLD!

MASSE,
THE
LAND
OF
WATER.

THIS
PLACE
IS AWE-
SOME.





THEIR
LIFESKIN
IS
SECOND
ONLY TO
SLYVES.

THEY
CAN BE
IDENTIFIED
BY THE
HORNS
GROWING
ON THEIR
HEADS.



THE
"DRAGON
FOLK."

A RACE THAT
CLAIMS TO BE
DESCENDED
FROM THE
DRAGONS OF
LEGEND.



THUS, THEY
BEGIN THE
DAY BY
BASKING IN
THE SUN.

THEY HAVE
LITTLE CONTROL
OVER THEIR
BODY HEAT,
AND MOVE
SLUGGISHLY
IN LOWER
TEMPERATURES.

BUT THEY
TAKE
PRIDE IN
THIS
CUSTOM...

...AND
IN THEIR
DRAGON
BLOOD.

THE DRAGON
BLOOD IS NOW
SO THIN THAT
THEY'RE REALLY
JUST NOT
MORNING
PEOPLE.

ALTHOUGH
FOR MODERN
DRAGON FOLK,
THIS IS MORE
OF A RITUAL
THAN A
REQUIREMENT.



AND IF THEIR
TEMPERATURE
RISES TOO MUCH
THEY COOL
THEMSELVES
WITH WATER.

IT'S
QUITE A
LOGICAL
CUSTOM.

AND WHEN
IN ROME,
DO AS THE
ROMANS.

THEY
WEAR SHIMPY
CLOTHING
TO EXPOSE
THEMSELVES
TO THE
SUN.

THEY'RE
LIZARD
PEOPLE.



BASICALLY,
IN LAYMAN'S
TERMS...



IT'S
GREAT.



YEAH.





THE MORE
I WANT TO
MAKE A BABY
WITH YOU.

THE
MORE I
LOOK AT
YOU...

WUHH?
?



WELL?
HOW ABOUT
TONIGHT?

I FEEL
LIKE YOU'D
GIVE ME
A STRONG
BABY.



WHAT
THE HELL
ARE YOU
DOING?!

THAT'S JUST
WHAT YOU
TELL KRYSTAL.
ISN'T IT?

NO...
HEY!
THERE'S
AN
ORDER!

NO! NO! NO!

NO!

NO!



WE
AGREED
I'D BE
FIRST!
RIGHT,
SATORU!

YES,
MA'AM.

GRAB

SURE



I'VE
KNOWN
SATO
FOR TEN
WHOLE
YEARS
NOW!

WH-WHAT?
YOU ONLY
JUST MET
HIM!



HMM.
WHAT'S THE
POINT IN
ARGING BY
THE ORDER
IN WHICH WE
BECAME HIS
RIVAL?



!!



TEN
YEARS
WITHOUT
GETTING
ANY-
WHERE?

WHOEVER
PUTS HIM IN
THE MOOD
FIRST WILL
BE THE
VICTOR!



MY
LOVE FOR
SATO IS
STRONG!

I'LL
SHOW
YOU THAT
LOVE!

A LONG-
LASTING
LOVE THAT
IS FULL OF
GIVE AND
TAKE IS
WEAK!





VA-BOOM

YOU'RE
ALL A
BLINCH
OF
FOOLS.



STRETCH
3/4

I USUALLY
ENJOY THE
GARDENS IN
THE NUDE.

I'M
WEARING
THIS FOR
YOUR
SAKE.

HMM?

BARELY
THERE

ISN'T THAT
SUIT...
A BIT...

SA-
SAPH-
IR..

HIRKI!

STRETCH
3/4





BY THE WAY, SATO...







SHE WILL
MOST LIKELY
SEND AN
ASSASSIN
AFTER YOU.

YOUR
PRESENCE
INTERFERES
WITH THAT
FORTUNE
TELLER'S
SCHEMES.









NEFRI-
TIS!

HIME!

DON'T
WORRY
!

WE MADE
ENOUGH
FOR YOU
TO EAT,
SATO!



I
HELPED
MAKE
IT!

MASSE
GROWS
RICE!

THE
FLAVORS
OF HOME

LIKE
JAPAN!



ARE THEY
PEASANTS OR
PRINCESSES?

SATO...
SLOW
DOWN...

OOH
HMM!
AMA
AAAZ-
ING!



RICE...

AND
FISH!















I HOPE
NOTHING
ELSE
HAPPENS.

IS IT
REALLY
OKAY TO
RELAX
LIKE
THIS?



plap
plap

MMM?

HIME?



SATO...

GOT A
SEC?







A PRINCE
AND A
PRINCESS...

ROMANTIC,
DON'T YOU
THINK?

WHEN
YOU THINK
ABOUT IT,
WE'RE...

WHAT'S
YOUR
TAKE?

HUHH?
?

SAY,
SATO...

ABOUT
MARSS
AND
SAPHIRA...



HUHH
?

JUST
SEEMED
LIKE A
CLICHE.

MMM,
NAH.



FORGET I
ASKED!



FORGET

FORGET



I FEEL
BAD FOR
THEM.

BUT
MOSTLY I
WAS JUST
LIKE, WOW,
FOR REAL?

WHAT...
THE
...?

fumble
fumble







AND...

I COULD
TELL SHE
WAS
REUNITED
WITH THE
MAN SHE
TRULY
LOVED.



...I
COULDN'T
STAND IN
THE WAY.

BECAUSE
I KNEW
HOW THAT
FELT...







PLEASE

WON'T
YOU
RECON-
SIDER?

BROTHER!



I
CAN'T
DO
THAT.

I....



APPEAL
TO OUR
FATHER IF
YOU WISH
THAT
CHANGED.

HIS MAJESTY
ORDERED FOR
REINFORCE-
MENTS TO BE
DISPATCHED
HERE.



PERHAPS
SOMEDAY IT
WILL EARN
YOU YOUR
PLACE
AGAIN.

BUT...

YOU HAVE
DONE WELL,
EARNING THE
RING KING'S
TRUST, AND
REPORTING
HIS ACTIONS.

OUR
FATHER
SEES THAT
AS SOME
SMALL
PENANCE.



NO. AS
YOU ARE,
YOU HAVE
NOT THE
RIGHT.

THE
CRIME OF
ABANDONING
THE RING
KING TITLE
IS NOT
FORGIVEN.

THE RINGS
CAN ONLY
TRULY
PROTECT
THE WORLD
IF THE
EMPEROR
CONTROLS
THEM.

YOUR
ACTION HAS
LED TO THE
PEOPLE BEING
DISTRACTED BY
AN UNCERTAIN
LEGEND...

...INSTEAD OF
BEING UNIFIED
UNDER THE
EMPIRE.





WHAT
DO YOU
WANT?



WHAT
ARE
YOU...



AND
STEAL
THE
TINGS.

GO KILL
THE RING
KING.



HE
WAS ONLY
WAITING
FOR YOU
TO EARN
THE RING
KING'S
TRUST.



THOSE
ARE THE
ORDERS
OF HIS
IMPE-
RIAL
MAJES-
TY.



IN THREE
DAYS TIME,
AN ARMY OF
BEASTS
WILL ATTACK
MASSE.

UNDER
COVER OF
BATTLE...
YOU WILL
SLAY THE
RING
KING.

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